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1 2 3 4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 5 EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 6 7 IVANA VELA, NO. CV-08-082-JPH 8 Petitioner, NO. CV-08-086-JPH 9 NO. CV-08-136-JPH VS. 10 JOHN McGRATH and WILLIAM 11 BROWN, ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND 12 RECOMMENDATION Respondents. 13 14 TIFFANY LYNN SCOTT, 15 Petitioner, 16 vs. 17 JOHN McGRATH, et. al., 18 Respondents. 19 20 LAURA M. COOK, 21 Petitioner, 22 VS. 23 JOHN McGRATH, et. al., 24 Respondents. 25

**BEFORE THE COURT** for resolution is the Report and Recommendation entered on December 12, 2008 (Ct. Rec. 44), recommending that the consolidated amended petitions for writs of habeas corpus (Ct. Recs.

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1, 7, 17, & 29) be dismissed and consolidated motions for discovery and an evidentiary hearing (Ct. Recs. 33, 37 - Vela and Scott; Ct. Recs. 32, 36 - Cook) be denied. Petitioners filed objections on December 23, 2008 (Ct. Rec. 45-46), essentially restating previous arguments. Having reviewed the report and recommendation, the Court adopts the magistrate judge's analysis and recommendation.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Report and Recommendation (Ct. Rec. 44) to dismiss petitioners' consolidated petitions for writs of habeas corpus and deny motions for discovery and an evidentiary hearing is ADOPTED in its entirety.

IT IS SO ORDERED. The District Court Executive is directed to enter this Order, forward copies to counsel, and close the file. DATED this  $4^{\rm th}$  day of February 2009.

s/ Edward F. Shea

EDWARD F. SHEA UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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